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Dead Fish in Mokelumne.

The dead fish in the Mokelumne river in the neighborhood of Middle Bar are becoming something of a nuisance. It is usual at this time of the year, when freshets from melting snow occur, for more or less dead fish to appear, but this year they are more numerous than ever. They may be accounted for to a great extent by the fact of shallow places in the stream, in which the fish are caught when a rise in the river occurs. At low water which occurs daily during the summer freshets, the fish get stranded in the river bed and die, and the next rise in the river carries them down the stream. It is believed by some who are living along the banks, that this theory will hardly account for the mortality among the denizens of the river this season, and they are inclined to think that the use of dynamite is a factor in the case.

Teachers' Elected.

The trustees of the different school districts have been a little slow in getting in the returns of the elections of school teachers for the next term. Those who sent in returns are Amador City, who elected Miss L. A. Carter, Miss Mayme Hornberger, and J. B. Berger; Sutter Creek, Anna Kreisman, Rose M. Lawlor, Ida B. Herman, Henrietta Post, and F. A. Ball; Clinton, Rose E. Bartoldus; Stony Creek, Norma E. Werner; Antelope, Dr. Alice Parker; Williams, Mabel Wilson; Julian, Lena Adams; Charlesston, Mary Billalou; Forest Home, Mabel Votaw; Mt. Echo, Minnie Isola; Pioneer, Mrs A. P. Joyce; and Union, Lena Gartlin. There are about thirty districts to be heard from yet.

Monster Radish.

There was left at the Ledger office last Tuesday, as showing what can be accomplished sometimes with the seeds sent out by the department of agriculture, a monster radish. It weighed with the top 4½ pounds. It was of the white variety. The radish was solid throughout, and edible notwithstanding that it had been left in the ground a trifle too long for the best results. The specimen was grown in the garden of O. L. Webster at Pine Grove, without any special attention. It was from seed obtained from the Ledger office, and sent out by the department this year. It is frequently the case that the seeds distributed by the government produce extraordinary results, as in this case. This was certainly the largest thing in the radish line we have seen, and the quality was in keeping with its size.

Taken Sick at Angels.

John Stribley of Sutter Creek, who entered the employ of the Sutter steam laundry a couple of weeks ago, as a driver of one of the wagons running to Jackson and into Calaveras county, was taken sick at Angels Camp last Saturday, and was unable to return with the wagon. He is rather an old man and had just recovered from a siege of sickness, so could not stand the excessive heat to which he was exposed during the day. The Odd Fellows, of which he is a member, is taking care of him until he is able to be moved to his home at Sutter. The laundry wagon was brought over Monday instead of Sunday.

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Closes up Business.

Miss Myrtle Hayford, who has conducted the millinery store on upper Main street for the past two years, closed up the place last week and left Wednesday morning for her home in Berkeley, where her parents live. She sold part of her stock to Miss Mary Prosser, who will reopen the store in September with an entire new stock of fall and winter goods. She will probably retain the present location.

Inspection Proof.

The photo's turned out by Logan's studio at No. 15 S San Joaquin street, Stockton, are certainly inspection proof. Logan has long had the reputation of turning out the classiest work of this kind, in the San Joaquin Valley. He is a born photographer and has had oceans of experience. All these things count when it comes down to actual workmanship. You remember that Solomon said that in this world "All was vanity." But that was before Logan's time. If he could have seen some of Logan's work he would have changed his ideas and sat for a photo himself.

BEST GAME OF BALL PLAYED AT SUTTER CREEK.

In Eleven Innings the Jackson
Baseball Nine Defeats the
Sutter Creek Team. Score
3 to 0.

Probably the liveliest game of baseball ever played in the county was the one in Sutter Creek last Sunday when the team from that town and the Jackson cracks came together. Both pitchers were playing in the best kind of form, while the support all the way through was better than usual. Two or three times it looked as though each side would score, but nothing came of it until the beginning of the eleventh inning. Connors made a safety to first, and Vela made a two bagger, bringing Connors in. Then Johnson, a new man who was holding down second base, made first, but Vela got out on third. Johnson succeeded in making home as did also Brown, making the three runs that the Jackson team made. In Sutter's half of the same inning it looked as though they would score, in fact it only needed a safety to bring in a run, but Sockey showed what he was made of and put three strikes right over fanning out Sutter's best batter. The Sutter pitcher is the same that threw for the Diamond Springs, while Lawrence White of Amador, stopped them. Jackson was a little short of men, second and third being filled by untried players, but they acquitted themselves very well. After such a showing by the Jackson boys it is doubtful that the Volcanos will want to play our team for \$200 or any other purse for that matter.

Julius Podesta Operated Upon.

Julius Podesta, who went to San Francisco last week to have an operation performed upon his leg which was broken some months ago by a fall caused by coming in contact with a

Mrs. Poggi Dies in Italy.

Paul and George Poggi received a cablegram from Genoa, Italy, Wednesday morning from their father, Luigi Poggi, that Mrs. Poggi had died in Genoa that morning at one of the leading hospitals there. Mr. and Mrs. Poggi were among the party that left here the first of last month to spend about three months in the old country. In a letter, which the boys received the first of this week their father stated that Mrs. Poggi had stood the trip exceedingly well, even better than some of the others. They went to Bobbio, a few miles from Genoa, where one of her sisters lives, but after staying there for a few days her feet and legs began to swell, and a doctor was called in. He stated that it was caused from the trip, but gave it as his opinion that she would get over it shortly. He also stated that she was afflicted with heart trouble. It is supposed that she continued to fail and was taken to a hospital in Genoa. It was known that she was so afflicted but it was not thought that it would prove fatal. When she left here she was in fairly good health and in the best of spirits, and continued so until her arrival in the old country. The cablegram did not mention the date of burial, but it stated she would be buried beside Mrs. Poggi's mother in Bobbio. To mourn her loss, she leaves two sons, Paul and George, a brother in New York and two sisters in Italy.

Mrs. Poggi was born in Italy on the 17th day of March, 1842, and came to this country with her husband about thirty-five years ago. They came to this county about thirty years ago, and have lived here ever since, this being the first trip that she has made to her old home. For a number of years past she has been desirous of returning to her home for a short visit, but they decided to go only when a party had been made up.

Torrid Weather.

The past week has been one of the hottest this section has experienced for years. The thermometer has mounted up over the one hundred mark for several days in succession. Monday the highest mark was reached, the mercury recording by the self-registering instruments kept by the Ledger office, 106 in the shade. This was not only in the shade, but protected by several partitions from the fierce heat of the sun. At other points around town even higher temperatures were recorded. In the shade on Main street in the afternoon 104 was reached. In some places 108 and 109 was reported. In Drytown, which is in the warm belt, 109 was registered. Notwithstanding this torrid heat, no casualties are reported. The air is dry, and the temperature tapers off during each evening to about 60. But not for three years have we had such a heated spell as the past week.

Charged With Robbery.

A Chinaman, whose name according to the version of some of his countrymen here, is Quong Chong, was arrested Tuesday evening in the Louvre restaurant on suspicion of being implicated in the stealing of \$200 from another Chinaman in Winnemucca, Nev. He had been in Jackson only three or four days before his arrest. He was nattily dressed in Chinese fashion, and is between 30 and 40 years of age. The robbery was committed over two months ago. He is still in the local jail awaiting action of the authorities of Humboldt county, Nev. It is remarkable how quickly such matters get into the Chinese papers in San Francisco. On the night after the arrest, a local Chinaman produced the Chinese paper with evidently some account of the accused. Above the item in the Chinese language, was "Quong Chong, Winnemucca, Nev." in English.

More Locals.

Ed. Hudson, who has been employed at Lucot's blacksmith shop, left last Sunday for Loomis, Placer county, where he has secured a good position. His family will join him in a short time.

John Ratto, who has been conducting a theatre in the moving picture line in Webb building for the past three months, is about to move to Love's hall, and will engage in the hall renting business in connection with the moving picture show.

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Mr and Mrs Harry Burke, who have been visiting here since last Friday with Mr and Mrs Joe Phelps, left yesterday for their home at Willits, Mendocino county. Mrs Burke is a sister to Mr Phelps.

Frank Barnett, sheriff of Alameda county, and wife came up from Alameda county yesterday. He was subpoenaed as a witness for the defense in the trial of Agostino Borello.

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PERKINS FOR SENATOR.

The term of United States senator George C. Perkins will expire in March, 1909. It will therefore devolve upon the legislature to meet next January to elect his successor. The senator and assemblymen to be elected this fall will have a voice in naming the next United States senator, and this fact imparts much significance to the selection of candidates for legislative honors, particularly on the republican side, as it would be a wild flight of imagination to think that the democrats have the ghost of a show to elect a federal senator in California, in the existing condition of politics in this state.

George C. Perkins has represented California in the senate of the United States since 1895—a longer time we believe than any other man has filled that high office in the history of this state. He was first elected to fill the vacancy caused by the death of Leland Stanford in 1895. He was reelected in 1897, and again in 1903, in both instances without opposition in his own party. Every republican member cast his vote for him on the first ballot, and in the latter year his election was made unanimous on motion of a democratic member. This serves to show the appreciation of the people generally in the manner in which he has looked after their interests at Washington. In his long career not the slightest scandal has ever attached to his name. California has never had a more able, hard-working or influential man at Washington than the present senior senator. He is at home in the midst of legislative duties at the national capital. He is not averse to a reelection. We believe the masses of the republican voters are in favor of keeping him where he is.

A few self-seeking politicians are very anxious for a change. They cannot bring any solid reasons therefor, but it would suit them as individuals better to have the senatorial toga fall upon some one else. Probably some of the dissatisfied ones imagine that it might possibly come within reaching distance of themselves if Perkins were not in the race. We believe republicans cannot do better than by reelect senator Perkins. No one commands the confidence of all classes to such an extent as he. "Let well enough alone," is a very apt motto to adhere to at this juncture.

We publish in this issue the San Francisco seawall and India basin acts, which are to be submitted to the voters at the forthcoming election. The two acts provide for the issuance of three million dollars—two million dollars for piers, wharves, etc., and one million for the purchase of India basin for wharfage purposes. These improvements are absolutely necessary for the harbor of San Francisco, made so by the steadily increasing demand for accommodation along the San Francisco water front. The bonds will not entail expense upon the general taxpayers, as the money necessary for the payment of principal and interest is to be raised by the collection of dockage and other dues by the harbor commissioners. We see no reason why these bonds should not command the general approval of the voters.

Claudianus, the Greek held in durance in San Francisco on suspicion of being concerned in the dynamiting of the Gallagher houses in Oakland, is evidently a weakling in the confession role. He seems to be able to "come through" with any kind of a yarn to suit. Possibly he may know something about the dynamite crimes, but the money reward and the very much discredited immunity business are playing altogether too prominent a part in the calculations of the star witness to command any confidence.

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The most serious objection to the mule, which you sometimes find in human beings also, is the delusion that he can sing. One who has never heard a mule solo cannot appreciate the extent of his mistake; but, like everything else about a mule, his song is strictly original. It belongs to no other animal. No one can describe and no one can imitate it.—New York Mail.

Mixed Pickles.

Bishop Knox once explained that "Mr. McKenna's sword was an over-loaded pistol which, being hung up in a tight corner lest it should burst, pretended to be dead until it got up and trotted home on the friendly back of the bishop of St. Asaph." But it is in political debate, especially in the house of commons, that the mixed metaphor flourishes most luxuriantly. "The flood-gates of irreligion and intemperance are stalking arm in arm throughout the land." "This bill effects such a change that the last leap in the dark was a mere flea bite." "That is the marrow of the educational act, and it will not be taken out by Dr. Clifford or anybody else. It is founded on a granite foundation and speaks in a voice not to be drowned in sectarian clamor." "The question of moisture in tobacco is a thorny subject and has long been a bone of contention."—Manchester Guardian.

Tulip Soup.

"What makes this vegetable soup taste so different?" asked the young husband of the pretty bride.

"Only the leeks you sent home," replied the bride. "You remember you said you were going to order leeks."

"I didn't order any leeks," growled the husband, but he finished his bowl of soup rather than disappoint her.

That afternoon he stopped at the grocery store.

"How did you come to send leeks up to my house this morning?" he demanded. "I didn't order them."

"Great Scott! Did you eat them?" exclaimed the grocer.

"Sure, we ate them."

"Oh, for land's sake. They were Mrs. Jackson's tulip bulbs. She left them on the counter and they got into your basket by mistake."—Detroit Free Press.

A Queer Practice.

A queer practice which is general throughout all the tribes of Australia is the ribbing of the skin. When the children are still young long cuts are made across the chest, down the upper arm and leg and even across the back and ribs. While the wound is quite fresh the cut is opened and a mixture of mud is grafted in, the skin being pulled as far as possible over it. The skin eventually grows completely round the mud filling and forms ridges varying in length and size from an ordinary lead pencil to the thickness of a man's little finger and extending from armpit to armpit. I am informed that while the healing process is going on the pain is exquisite, but the result seems to satisfy all parties concerned.—London Standard.

The Brave Butterfly.

Here is an unorthodox story of King Solomon: One day a butterfly sat on the king's temple and boasted to his wife. "If I chose I could lift my wing and shiver this building to the ground," he swaggered. Solomon, overhearing, sent for the boaster. "How dare you?" he thundered. The butterfly groveled. "I did it to impress my wife," he pleaded. The great monarch was instantly appeased and let him go. "What did Solomon say to you?" gasped a quivering wife five minutes later. "Oh, he begged me not to do it," said the butterfly airily. And Solomon, again overhearing, smiled.—Chicago News.

Wifely Curiosity.

"Henry, dear, I tried on a suit of your clothes the other day, and it fitted to perfection."

"May I ask your object in taking such a liberty with my garments?"

"Why, Belle Greene said she heard Tommy Tolliver say that you wasn't much bigger than a shrimp, and I was just wondering how big a shrimp is."—Cleveland Plain Dealer.

Alike in One Way.

"He's quite wealthy and prominent now," said Mrs. Starvelin. "and they say he rose practically from nothing."

"Well, well!" remarked Mr. Border. "That's just what I rose from—at the breakfast table this morning."—London Answers.

Those Amiable Creatures.

Maud—This is my engagement ring. Isn't it lovely? Edith—Perfectly adorable! How generous Fred was to give you such a valuable one! And to think that folks say that your father paid for it!—Boston Transcript.

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Drawn from official records and surveys by D. C. CARLTON, showing township and school district boundaries, ownership of all lands according to assessment roll of 1904, mineral claims, canals, location of all schoolhouses; also a townscape map of principal towns, namely Jackson, Sutter Creek, Ione, Amador City, Drytown, Plymouth and Volcano.

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Russia's birthrate is 47 per 1000.

The French automobile business is declining.

The municipal markets of Manchester are very profitable.

There are 77,000,000 bricks in the famous Severn tunnel.

It is estimated that there are 3,000,000 caged birds in Europe.

The weight of the human heart averages from 9 to 11 ounces.

Liverpool makes nearly \$800,000 per year by municipal trading.

The houses of England if placed in a line would reach 27,000 miles.

There are 30,000 proprietary medicines on the American market.

Electricity will be the means of fertilizing the ground in the future.

The kit of the German soldier includes a Bible and a cake of chocolate.

Air is essential to growing pea plants. Peas grown in a vacuum die in three days.

Conversation is a good form of exercise for those afflicted with heart disease.

On the 361 sorts of birds found in Great Britain, only 140 are residents all the year around.

The Bible press of Oxford produces on an average 3,000 copies of the Bible, not to mention prayer books every day. The skins of 100,000 animals are used every year for the covers of Oxford Bibles alone.

The capacity of the Atlantic cables is 300,000,000 words annually. Only 25,000,000 are sent.

The mileage of the Trans-Siberian Railroad is 6,000, double that of the Canadian Pacific.

Twenty million feathers are sent from Germany to England every year for millinery purposes.

There are 20,000 dangerous criminals in Paris who are capable of doing murder and 100,000 who live by dishonest means.

In the state of Massachusetts alone there is more neglected water-power going to waste than is available at Niagara Falls.

In Paris last year 49,298 horses were killed for food, which was 5,000 more than the previous year. These animals yielded 26,600,000 pounds of meat.

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Chas. H. Fletcher

A United States consular report states that 22,419 miles of telegraph lines were operated by the Imperial Chinese Telegraph Company in 1906. The system has 34,473 miles of wire, a submarine cable of 946 miles and 379 offices, of which 62 were open day and night, and 317 for day service only. The number of instruments was 768. At the head office in Shanghai the staff numbered 67 and the general staff 3,175, while inspectors, linemen, etc., brought the total up to 2,400.

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Act quickly in times of danger. Backache is kidney danger.

Doan's Kidney Pills act quickly. Cure all distressing, dangerous kidney pills.

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NOTICE TO VOTERS

Notice is hereby given to the electors of the State of California that the following Act will be submitted to the people of the State of California for their ratification at the next general election to be held on the third day of November, A. D. 1908, to wit:

SENATE BILL NO. 461.

Passed the Senate February 22, A. D. 1907. Lewis H. Birrell, Secretary of the Senate.

Passed the Assembly, March 6, A. D. 1907. Clio Lloyd, Chief Clerk of the Assembly.

This Bill was received by the Governor, this 9th day of March, A. D. 1907, at 12 o'clock in E. C. Cooper, Private Secretary of the Governor.

CHAPTER 424. An Act to provide for the issuance and sale of state bonds to create a fund for the construction by the board of state harbor commissioners of wharves, piers, sea-wall, state railroad, spurs and appurtenances in the city and county of San Francisco, to create a sinking fund for the payment of said bonds; and providing for the submission of this act to a vote of the people.

The people of the State of California, represented in senate and assembly, do enact as follows:

SECTION 1. For the purpose of providing a fund for the payment of the indebtedness hereby authorized to be incurred by the board of state harbor commissioners for the erection of wharves, piers, seawall, state railroad, spurs and appurtenances in the city and county of San Francisco, at a cost not to exceed two million dollars (which said wharves, piers, sea-wall, state railroad, spurs and appurtenances the board of state harbor commissioners are hereby empowered to construct in the manner authorized by law, and at a cost not to exceed said two million dollars), the state treasurer shall have the power to issue bonds, or to print and sign the same, and shall issue a proclamation for the payment of said bonds; and providing for the submission of this act to a vote of the people.

SECTION 2. The state controller and the state treasurer shall keep full and particular account and record of all their proceedings under this act, and they shall transmit to the governor an abstract of all such proceedings thereunder, with an annual report, to be by the governor and before the legislature biennially; and all books and papers pertaining to the matter provided for in this act shall at all times be open to the inspection of any party interested, or the governor, or the attorney general, or a committee of either branch of the legislature, or a joint committee of both, or any citizen of the state.

SECTION 3. It shall be the duty of the state treasurer to pay the interest of said bonds, when the same fails due out of the sinking fund provided for in this act, on controller's warrants duly drawn for that purpose.

SECTION 4. This act, if adopted by the people, shall take effect on the thirty first day of December, A. D. nineteen hundred and eight, as to its provisions except those relating to and necessary for the payment of the principal and interest of the bonds, and for returning, canvassing and proclaiming the votes, and as to said excepted provisions this act shall take effect immediately.

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If any there be, shall forthwith be paid into the San Francisco harbor improvement fund. At the time of the respective drawings by lot, as aforesaid, and also at the maturity of said state bonds or other bonds then in said sinking fund, at the market rates, after advertising the sale thereof, the state treasurer shall receive for the payment of such bonds as may be drawn by lot, and at the maturity of said bonds outstanding, shall pay and redeem said matured outstanding bonds out of said moneys in said fund in exchange of said bonds on controller's warrants duly drawn for that purpose.

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FROM OUR CORRESPONDENTS

INDIAN CREEK AND VICINITY.

Mr White accompanied by his two daughters, Jennie and Addie, left for the mountains to spend a few weeks' vacation.

Miss Fay Gorton of Amador City, is the guest of her aunt, Mrs M. J. Purcell.

Mr and Mrs Geo. Brown, who have been spending several weeks in the mountains, have returned to their home in this district.

Miss Gertie Brown, who has been employed as assistant cook at the Murphy Ranch at Milton, Calaveras county, has returned home to spend a few weeks' vacation with her parents, but intends to return in a short time to her position.

Mrs M. J. Purcell and daughter, Miss Ella, were the guests of Mrs Wm. Ball one day last week.

Mrs McGaffee of Sheldon, is visiting Mr Kaufman and family.

One evening last week while Geo. Purcell was going after his milk cows, he met with a great surprise. He came across a monster rattlesnake, measuring nearly six feet in length and having 17 rattles. After several minutes Geo. got up courage and decided to kill the reptile, and gathered a collection of stones and sticks and soon got the best of the rattler.

Willard Colburn passed through this district on his way to Latrobe. He makes regular trips that way.

Miss Mable McFarlane was the guest of Miss Della Tunson last Sunday.

Mr and Mrs Harper Taylor returned home from San Francisco, where they spent their honeymoon, and on the evening of their arrival, several of the young folks gathered to chivarari them. Old bells tin cans, and anything to make a racket was in evidence. Ed. Greilich, who was one of the parties, on returning found his horse choked to death by winding itself around a tree.

Messrs John Orr and Dave McFarlane left for Sacramento, to be gone for several days.

Miss Sophie Greilich and Lizzie Kaufman took in the Pettersen Bros., show in Plymouth, and both young ladies report having enjoyed the evening very much.

Quite a crowd gathered at the Slate Creek social club house to attend Sunday school, which is held there every Sunday.

Peter Flaherty, who is employed at the Copper Hill mine, was bitten by a rattle snake. But by his presence of mind cut off his finger, which was the only thing that saved his life.

Mrs Hammack went to Carbondale to meet her neice, who intends to spend a few weeks' at home with her parents, Mr and Mrs J. Brown.

One of our neighbors, who has a fine stock of hogs, "Poland China," had the misfortune of losing one of his favorite pigs.

Elmer Barney and family accompanied by Mrs W. Barnhart left for the former's mountain range, where they will spend the rest of the summer months.

John Grambart was seen in this district one evening last week.

Messrs John Brown and Frank Hammack, who were up at Oleta mining for the shining gold, and living in hopes to find a nugget as large as a corner stone, or a pocket of gold, came home last Tuesday very much disappointed, with only a color hardly visible.

Willard Colburn, who has been an employee at the Duke ranch, left for Sacramento to spend a few days.

Mrs Anderson of Sacramento is visiting her parents, Mr and Mrs Wm. Ball.

Mrs Graves is very ill with the whooping cough.

Robt. White has been quite busy of late doing some fine carpenter work. He has just finished a new chicken coop.

Several of our young marksmen took advantage of the game law, and went out for a dove hunt, but were not very successful as doves are not very plentiful in these parts.

The Other One.

ONE.

A number of Ionians have gone to the mountains this last week in order that they may escape the hot weather. Among those who left were Jim McMurray and wife, J. P. Surface and wife, E. G. Amick and family and J. M. Amick and family.

Lee Martin who has been confined to his bed for the last couple of weeks, is now able to be around again.

Mrs A. A. Davis and little son and daughter went to Pacific Grove Wednesday morning for a couple of weeks' visit.

There will be a baseball game at Agricultural Park next Sunday between the Volcano and lone boys.

The Native Sons and Daughters held joint installation here last Saturday night, and a right good time was enjoyed by all. After the installation ceremonies a short program was rendered, then refreshments, consisting of ice cream and cake and

strawberry sherbet, were served, and then all repaired to Scully's hall and spent several hours tripping the light fantastic toe.

Miss Bessie Scott and little cousin, Margarie Lagrave, left yesterday morning for Sacramento. Miss Bessie will remain a couple of weeks' and then visit for awhile in Lodi before returning home.

Mrs Knapp and daughter Maize of Oleta, were visitors in Ione this week, the latter being the installing officer of the Rebekahs.

Miss Oda Amick and Miss Gertrude Asbury left Sunday morning for Sacramento, where they will visit with their sisters for a couple of weeks.

Miss Helen Prouty has gone to San Francisco for a couple of weeks' visit with friends. Ioneite.

SUTTER CREEK.

July 24—Mrs Gertrude Downs, Mrs W. E. Downs and family, and Mrs Florence Odgers left Thursday morning for Santa Cruz.

Mrs J. Truan left Saturday morning for an indefinite stay in Lodi and San Francisco.

Bayliss C. Clark returned from Oroville Monday night.

Miss Sweeney of Fresno, is here, the guest of her sister, Mrs L. Lagomarsino.

W. Orchard and Will Herman returned from Shasta county Sunday night.

Mr and Mrs James Bales left Tuesday morning on a camping trip to Silver Lake, to spend a few weeks' of the summer days.

A very sad accident occurred in the Bunker Hill mine Wednesday afternoon when Thomas Stone, an Englishman, was instantly killed by falling 175 feet. He was working in a raise and slipped. The remains were brought to the local undertakers here and prepared for burial, and will be taken to I. O. O. F. hall, where the funeral will take place Saturday afternoon, conducted by the local order of I. O. O. F., he being a member of Sonora Lodge. The family seems to be unfortunately a fated one, this being the third brother killed in the mines. Arthur Stone, the latest previous to this victim, was killed in this same mine under similar circumstances a few years ago. Thomas taking his deceased brother's place in the mine, working there until his death. Later he married his brother's widow, who preceded him to the grave about 16 months ago. Another brother, John Stone, and family, and other relatives came up from Sacramento, to attend the funeral. Interment in Odd Fellows' cemetery.

Mrs Rose Pezzola an old resident of this place, died in Sacramento Saturday afternoon the 18th inst. The remains were shipped here Sunday, and the funeral was held from the Catholic church the following Monday afternoon, a large concourse of friends following the remains to their last resting place in the Catholic cemetery, the N. D. G. W. also turned out in a body. Mrs Pezzola was 58 years of age, and had been a sufferer from chronic ailments for many months, going to Sacramento hoping to benefit by the change about six weeks previous to her death. She leaves three children, Nance Maletesta, Mrs John Cox and Miss Mazelia Pezzola. Mrs Pezzola was twice married, her first husband, Mr Maletesta, deceased many years ago. Mr Pezzola preceded her a little over two years ago. She was a native of Italy.

Mrs R. C. Merwin of Amador, and friend Mrs McDermott of Oakland, were visiting in Sutter last Saturday.

Gilbert Wadge is here from San Francisco, spending his summer vacation with his mother and family.

Mrs C. C. Belding of Oroville, who has been visiting relatives here for several weeks, returned to her home last Saturday.

Mr Delia Trelease of Oakland, who was the guest of Mrs Redpath for a couple of weeks, left Saturday morning for Angels Camp, to visit previous to her return to Oakland.

Mrs John Vicini and Mrs Brignoli left for Santa Cruz Saturday morning, to spend the summer months, and will visit friends in San Francisco before their return home.

Louis Soccal accompanied his father to San Francisco last Saturday, to spend a couple of weeks' vacation.

John Jose of Ione, D. D. G. M. of I. O. O. F., came up Monday night and installed the officers of Sutter No. 31 I. O. O. F. At the close of business the brothers proceeded to keep cool by getting away with a quantity of ice cream, etc.

Judge Rose went to San Jose last week, returning Sunday evening with his wife and family, who have been there several weeks.

Lee Donnelly of Sacramento was shaking hands with old friends here this week. He has gone to the mountains for a few days' recreation.

John Trenaman, after a brief visit here with his family, left Tuesday morning, returning to his duties at Tonopah, Nev.

Stephen Thomas, who has been in San Jose attending college for a couple of years, and having graduated

with honors a short time ago, returned here Saturday night to visit his parents.

Myrtle Johns of Sacramento, came up this week and is the guest of Miss Carrie Canvin.

Chas. Mulock made a business trip to Stockton Monday, returning Tuesday.

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BORN.

DIXON.—In Sacramento, July 19, 1908, to the wife of Harold Dixon, a son.

DIED.

EMANUEL.—In San Francisco, July 14, 1908, Mrs Annie Emanuel, mother of Mrs J. Newman, aged 78 years, a native of Charleston S. C.

PLUNKETT.—Near Drytown, July 20, 1908, William Plunkett, a native of Canada, aged 75 years 9 months and 5 days.

STONE.—At Bunker Hill, July 22, 1908, Thomas Stone a native of England.

POGGI.—In Genoa, Italy, July 22, 1908, Mrs Luigi Poggi, a native of Italy, aged 66 years, 4 months and 5 days.

PEZZOLA.—In Sacramento, July 18, 1908, Mrs Rose Pezzola, a native of Italy, aged 58 years.

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Notice is hereby given that I intend to apply to the state board of prison directors to be paroled from San Quentin prison according to law. jy24 2t S. M. Wilkes, No. 17134

Investors of Amador County

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Order to Show Cause.

in the Superior Court of the county of Amador, State of California.
In the Matter of the estate of Patrick McCormack, deceased.

Ella Adams is the administratrix of the estate of Patrick McCormack, deceased, having filed her petition herein praying for an order of sale of the real estate of said decedent, for the purposes therein set forth, it is therefore ordered by said court, that all persons interested in the estate of said deceased appear before the said superior court on Saturday, the 15th day of August, 1908, at ten o'clock in the forenoon of said day, at the courtroom of said superior court, at the city of Jackson, county of Amador, state of California, to show cause why an order should not be granted to the said administratrix to sell so much of the real estate of the said deceased as private sale, as shall be necessary; and that a copy of this order be published at least four successive weeks in the Amador Ledger, a newspaper printed and published in said Amador county.

Dated July 13th, 1908.

R. C. RUST,
Judge of said superior court.

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Estate of John Voss deceased. Notice is hereby given by the undersigned, administrator of the estate of John Voss, deceased, to the creditors of and all persons having claims against the said deceased, to exhibit them, with the necessary vouchers, within four months after the first publication of this notice to the said administrator, at the law office of Wm. J. McGee, Court street, Jackson, California, the same being the place for the transaction of the business of said estate, in said Amador county.

Dated June 2, 1908.

H. E. POTTER,
Administrator of the estate of John Voss deceased.

Wm. J. McGee,
Attorney for administrator.

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Notice for Publication.

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Department of the Interior—
U.S. Land Office at Sacramento, Calif.

June 8, 1908.

Notice is hereby given that Gust Peterson, of Portland, Oregon, who, on May 14, 1908, made timber and stone sworn statement, No. 2203, for the S½ of SE¼ and S½ of SW¼, Section 1, Township 7 N., Range 14 E., Mount Diablo Meridian, has filed notice of intention to make final proof, to establish claim to the land above described, before the Register and Receiver at U. S. Land Office in Sacramento, Calif., on the

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Date.	Temp L. H.	Rain H.	Date.	Temp L. H.	Rain H.
July 1	60.08	03	July 17	54.102	
2	61.06	18	18	59.101	
3	63.09	19	19	63.102	
4	61.08	20	20	66.103	
5	62.08	21	21	65.103	
6	61.94	22	22	61.99	
7	55.92	23	23	58.99	
8	61.98	24			
9	63.10	25			
10	61.99	26			
11	70.98	27			
12	57.88	28			
13	52.87	29			
14	60.93	30			
15	55.95	31			
16	56.90	32			

LOCAL NEWS

Miss Birdie Lucot left last Saturday for San Francisco and Pacific Grove, where she will spend the summer vacation.

John Strohm's ice wagon, driven by J. Thrasher, was overturned Monday morning on the grade from Mokelumne Hill. He was driving along when the brakes suddenly gave way on the steepest part of the grade, so the horses could not hold the heavy wagon, and as a consequence left the roadway. He is supposed to deliver ice around town after returning, but it was late in the evening before he finally got around to the residences. Strohm is delivering Truckee ice to part of his customers, his plant being inadequate to furnish the brewery and trade.

Harry Dye, son of Jas. E. Dye of this city, is now engaged in the real estate business in Washington state, being one of the firm of Grant & Dye. We are in receipt of an advertising card showing that this firm has just placed upon the market, a townsite called Arcadia, situated in the northwestern portion of Washington, some 350 miles from Seattle, and 25 miles from Spokane.

Leonard Prout, who had his leg broken about a month ago while at work in the Kennedy mine, was out Tuesday for the first time, when he came down town.

Judge Blower was over from Plymouth Tuesday afternoon on business. The judge has been sick for the past four or five weeks and has not been able to move around very much.

J. F. Wilson. Dentist. Hours 9 a.m. to 5 p.m. Phone—Office, black 444; residence, Black 304; Jackson.

Mrs N. S. Smith and children, who came last week to visit with her sister, Mrs E. H. Harrington, and family, returned to their home in San Francisco Saturday.

Last Sunday None Hite, who conducts a saloon in Oleta, and Blair French Jr. started to quarrel over a game of cards. It became rather warm for both parties, so Hite grabbed a bottle that was handy and hit French over the head with it, with the result that all the fight was taken out of the latter. He was taken to Plymouth, where surgical attention could be secured. No arrest have been made as yet.

If your cigar lighters get out of whack, Gil Voorheis will fix it for you.

Domenico Burke, who passed through an awful experience in Plymouth about a month ago, being held as in a vice at a joint in a water pipe for eight hours, is reported as being greatly improved, and able to be around.

Dr. W. E. Chambers and wife, formerly Miss Lenore Stewart of Sutter Creek, started July 16th on a business and pleasure trip through Europe for about six months, after which they will return to their residence on Knox Place, Oakland.

Mrs M. J. Voorheis, who spent a few days visiting in Sonora with Mrs J. H. Story, returned to Jackson Tuesday. Gilbert went as far as Stockton to meet her.

Mrs Folger has given up her express business.

TRIAL OF A. BORELLO ON A CHARGE OF ARSON

In the Destruction by Fire of the Summit Hotel, on Sutter Hill.

The trial of Agostino Borello, one of the four charged with the burning of the Summit hotel near Sutter Creek in the early part of February, was commenced Tuesday morning and has been in progress since that time. Ben T. Taber of Auburn, attorney for Weber, who was charged with the murder of his parents, is associated with District Attorney Vicini, while Alfred H. Cohen and James G. Creely of Oakland are defending Borello, D. B. Spagnoli having retired from the case. All of Tuesday was consumed in the examination of the jurors. Twenty-four of the venire of eighty-five were called and examined, and of this number only ten were chosen and sworn in as jurors. They were James Hamilton, Theodore Lithgow, Geo. H. Brown, Henry Bradigan, Art Kefler, J. C. Deaver, Emmet Gillick, A. L. Stewart and W. K. McFarland. That night and during the rest of the trial the jurors will be kept in the basement of the hall of records. It required about two hours Wednesday morning to secure the other two jury men. Those who were finally sworn were T. D. Bacigalupi, and Frank Blakely.

In opening the case Mr Taber stated that the prosecution intended to prove beyond a reasonable doubt that though the defendant was not directly guilty of the crime of arson, yet he knew that such a crime was to be committed, and that he had aided in the commission of it. That he some time before the fire had a conversation with C. Lepori in the office of Bertini & Lepori in San Francisco, during which Lepori stated that if the house was burned the defendant would have no more rent to pay, at which Borello stated that he knew of a party who would do it for \$100, in response to which he said that Lepori told him to go ahead. Then he stated that they would prove that Borello returned to the Summit house and proceeded to ship a part of the goods, upon which there was a chattel mortgage, to San Francisco, including a cash register, which was found in his hotel in San Francisco after the burning of the hotel here.

The lease of the hotel by G. B. Vicini to Bertini and Lepori for a term of six years at a monthly rental of \$60 was introduced. W. L. Rose of Sutter Creek was called and testified that he had issued a policy for \$10.00 on all the stock and furniture in the hotel. Rose drew up a bill of sale from A. Borello of the hotel business and stock, etc., to C. Rossi, the date of this sale being October 12, 1907, at which time another policy for \$1000 made out in Borello's name expired. Loretta Meehan, deputy recorder, was called and identified the record book containing a record of a chattel mortgage made by A. Borello to Bertini and Lepori, the amount of the mortgage being \$500. C. P. Vicini was called and testified that Borello and Ferroca were in possession of the hotel until the bill of sale to C. Rossi, who afterwards stated to Vicini that he owned the place. James Bryant was then called and considerable time was consumed in examining him by both sides. He stated that he had lived there at intervals before the fire, that he was in the habit of conducting the correspondence for Borello and keeping the books of the hotel, that he had been thrown out of employment and had become indebted to Borello in the sum of about fifty dollars for board. He testified that he and Borello went to the top of the machine in case a nickel or coin should become jammed.

John M. Fullen said three or four days preceding the fire Agostino had visited his saloon at Martell station and had offered a number of nickels in exchange for large coin. Having only four dollars on hand at the time he had taken that amount of nickels, but had been urged by Borello to take more.

Mrs Annie Campbell was employed at the Summit house for a period of two years before the fire. Borello running the place until he sold out to C. Rossi. The Borello brothers and Rossi left the hotel about a week or ten days before the fire, presumably for San Francisco, the keys to the place being given to her. Borello returned a few days before the fire, and took the keys from her. She could not remember having seen lamps or a can of coal oil about the place, but had used kerosine, which was kept in a bottle, about the beds. Though she visited the store room every day for provisions, she had never seen a five gallon can, supposed to contain kerosine in the room.

In taking the testimony of John Poinelli and Luigi Nilo it was necessary to call an interpreter in the Italian language. The former had seen Domenico Mauzo at his saloon about eight-thirty or nine o'clock the evening of the fire, but had not seen him again that evening, though he had stayed up most of the night watching his own house to see that it did not take fire. Nilo said that he had seen Borello and a man who had come from San Francisco with him a week or more before, but did not know who the man was.

Wendell Jones, who lived directly across the road from the Summit house, testified that he had seen Borello return from San Francisco about two weeks before the fire and that he was accompanied by a man, whom he afterwards heard called Lepori. Lepori stayed a couple of days and then left, followed the next morning by the two Borellos, and C. Rossi. He did not see Borello again until the Monday morning before the fire, at which time he saw him waiting for the stage to Martells.

Leon Miller testified that he had taken five or six packages to the railroad station at the request of A. Borello a few days before the fire.

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DOCUMENTS RECORDED.

The following instruments have been filed to record in the recorder's office since our last report. We wish a complete list of documents recorded, and must decline to accept any request to suppress any document from these columns. Don't ask us to do so.

Deeds.—Mary Etta Sharenbroch to

Anna and John Johnson, 80 acres in 24-6-11, 80 in 13-6-11, excepting a strip of land sold to Mrs Lillian Love, \$10.

Mortgages—Carlo Brusatori to Henry Rossi, 40 acres in 23-7-11 and 120 acres in 24-7-11, \$81.70.

John Thomas, employed in the freight room at the station of the L. & E. at Martells, identified some shipping receipts, which were placed in evidence. There were four consignments from M. Borello to M. B. Verdi Hotel, San Francisco, one bearing on the 8th of January, two on the 21st, and one on the 31st, which is the one that the sheriff examined.

Wm. Connors testified that August Borello had made a written confession on the evening of the 9th of February, the day after his arrival from San Francisco in the custody of the sheriff, and that this confession had been made voluntarily, and without any force or urging being used on the part of anyone. His examination was not completed Thursday, so he was the first to be called to the stand this morning. The defense moved that the jury be excused until after it had been decided whether the written confession could be admitted in evidence. The court granted the motion. Upon cross examination Connors testified that Borello had been taken to the district attorney's office on the night of his arrival here for a interview, and that besides himself, W. F. Willis, reporter, C. L. Culbert, U. S. Gregory and C. P. Vicini were present, and that the next night he was present as were also U. S. Gregory, C. P. Vicini, Carlo Giovannini, while J. R. Huberty was called up on the telephone and roused from his bed to come to the place and take the oath of the defendant upon his confession.

Guarantee—Mrs Mary E. Sharenbroch certifies that she has sold her ranch near Jackson to Anna and John Johnson, and that there are no mortgages, liens or assessments on the property and that the taxes have been paid.

Location—Mrs Oro Knapp of the "Wide-awake" placer claim in Oleta mining district.

Execution—James Lowry vs. Emma Wheeler, judgment in the sum of \$28.50. Attachment placed on the "Red Hill" claim, consisting of 40 acres in 32-7-12.

Agreement—Between Edgar N. and Alvah G. Ekel, and Joseph and Robert Ellis, the latter granting the former the privilege to erect a debris and water dam and ditch running to it, on Jackson creek in 2-5-10, \$20.

Patent—United States to Arthur E. Lessley, 151.74 in 5-7-14.

U. S. to Samuel J. Waddell, 80 acres in 5-4-10.

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The above is the substance of the trial up to noon today. It will probably be the middle of next week before the case is finally passed to the jury for its verdict. It will be another day probably before a decision is reached by the court as to the admissibility of the written confession of the defendant. Both the prosecution and the defenses have a number of witness yet to call.

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Facts About Trees

The case of Josiah Phillips came up in the Sonora justice court, Friday, this being the day set for Justice Scott to pronounce sentence upon defendant, who was found guilty of failure to provide for his minor children at the jury trial of the case as stated in our last issue. The sentence was suspended as Phillips gave the proper bond to care for the children as provided by law. Attorney J. C. Webster, who appeared for Phillips will most likely appeal the case to the superior court. Phillips claims that he always has supported the children properly and desires to stand right in the eyes of the law. Mrs Phillips and her two minor children reside at Groveland. Phillips gave \$360 bond with J. C. Webster and C. A. Belli as sureties. The obligation provides that he will supply \$30 per month for the support of his minor children. Mrs Phillips at present has a judgment against her husband, Josiah, in the superior court, in her suit for maintenance instituted there several months ago. This judgment calls for attorneys fees and costs and the payment by Josiah of \$75 per month, making a total now against Phillips of \$105 per month. We understand that this sum will be cut down.—Independent.

By a fire which happened at place called Confidence in Toulumne county on the 6th inst., John Solari, on of Mr and Mrs G. B. Solari of this place, was badly burned on one side of his body. Just how the young man was injured we have been unable to learn, but at last accounts nothing serious was apprehended from his burns. Mr Solari was acting as time keeper for a big lumber company, and the fire destroyed their mill, store and considerable lumber.—Calaveras Chronicle.

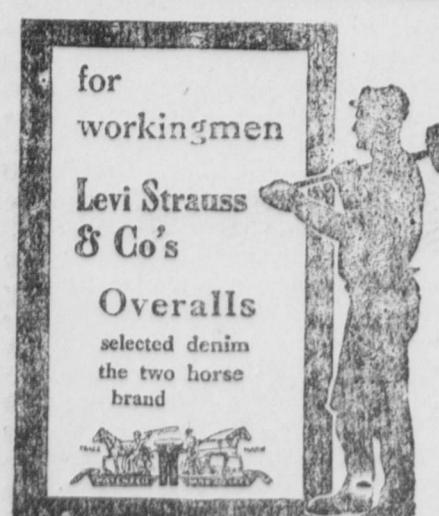
Miss Ethel Fullen, the popular milliner of Jackson, accompanied by a lady friend, stopped at the Crossing Sunday night, arriving there at 12 o'clock, and very wisely preferring to travel after night than in the hot sun. They were on their way to Angels to visit Miss Fullen's uncle, Thos. Fullen, superintendent of the Angels mine.—Citizen.

The merchants of Lone have decided and agreed that on and after Monday, July 6th, they will open their respective places of business at 6 o'clock a. m. and close at 8 o'clock p. m., except Saturday. They think that fourteen hours of labor a day for six and seven days a week is enough.—Echo.

Last Sunday the little son of J. Hilbert had his leg mashed and broken by falling off a wagon in coming down the Log town hill in El Dorado county. Both wheels passed over his leg below the knee badly crushing both bones. The little fellow received no medical attention until he reached Lone. The accident happened early in the morning, and it was 2 o'clock in the afternoon when he reached here, and the leg was so badly swollen that there couldn't be much done with it except to place it in splints.—Lone Echo.

Last Friday in the Fremont mine, a rock fell from above and struck a miner on the head, fracturing his skull at the base of the brain. Not more than hour later another miner "took a header" down a chute, falling 60 feet. Strange to say he escaped with only severe bruises. Dr. Goodman was summoned and attended both men. For a time it was thought that the first patient could not survive, but at present writing he is getting along nicely and will recover. The other was patched up and is waiting for his wounds to heal.—Record.

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GLOBE SIGHTS.

Boast of a thing, and it will fail you.

Every man has a scheme that won't work.

Everything is all right until it belongs to you.

There is not enough business now to tell how it is.

The better the doctor, the less he thinks of his ability.

Those who ask the most questions remember the fewest answers.

An engagement is like tomorrow, but marriage is like today.

There is no vagrant notion in our nature that poets do not encourage.

"I never owned," said a man today, "a really satisfactory pair of galluses."

There is probably not a town in the world that suits the people living in it.

A man never knows much until he is old, and then he is too discreet to tell it.

It hurts a man to get whipped, but, ah, he is such a smart man afterwards!

Those who have the least need of forgiveness are usually the quickest to forgive.

A girl of 16 never has cause to wish that she were a man, but wait until she is older.

Carrots and ochre are the chicken necks and chicken backs of the vegetable world.

A man was telling how easy a certain thing was. "It's as easy," he said "as rain."

If a man abuses his stomach when he is young, his stomach abuses him when he is old.

You will blush to have it thrown up to you, but all of you have kin you do not like.

Woman's hand may be pale and delicate, but she can pick up a hotter plate than a man.

A boy can't have any fun at a Fourth of July celebration if his sisters tag along with him.

A woman who has to have operations can sink as much money as if she invested in a mine.

Next to being complimented upon her looks, a woman loves to receive compliments about her parties.

People finally put a tag on the man who is always volunteering to oblige his friends, but who never does it.

Some people are as foolish with their money all the year round as the ordinary man is just before Christmas.

Failure always contends that a man should be admired for the efforts he makes, and not for what he accomplishes.

After the first baby is born, a man feels very much like an old doll looks when its owner gets a new one for Christmas.

After people have done wrong awhile, their faces begin to look as though the devil had used them for copy books.

There is this good thing about having been in the grocery business. After retiring, a man knows how to select a good chicken.

"I am not very particular, and I am ordinarily easy to get along with, but the blackberry don't suit me very well."—Drake Watson.

Some times a smoker gets a whiff of a cigar that reminds him of particularly good cigar he smoked years ago, and has lost track of.

When a man begins by saying, "Of course it is none of my business, but— it is a sign he is going to make it his business, and advise you what to do.

The average man, when he goes off and has "a good time," takes it out of his family's hide on his return, by reducing the family's supply of sugar and coffee.

Every man's hopes for the day, when he comes down to work in the morning, includes the unexpressed belief that there will be money or letters from unknown admirers in his mail.

No man in a lunatic asylum longs to get back to his home, and resume the simple habits of useful life. A crazy man talks with spirits, and bears strange noises, and knows of wonderful things that are happening.

When the neighbors call at his house, a boy notices that they laugh heartily when his father tells how he used to steal watermelons when a boy, but the boy remembers that when he tried it, his father whipped him for stealing.

A certain Coolidge man was often pointed out as a lucky dog. Everything he touched, people said, turned to money. It turned out the other day that he was bankrupt, and the day following the discovery he ran away, rather than face his creditors.

A woman makes the least extra preparation for the guests she has known longest, and thinks the most of. If you call at a house just before meal time, and are invited to stay to dinner, and there is a great hurrying and scurrying, and fixing up in the kitchen, it is a sign the hostess fears you more than she likes you.

When a lovely character offers sympathy she takes a copy of "Thomas a Kempis" along with her, and as she

is leaving presses the volume into the hand of the bereaved friend saying in deep sorrowful tones: "Read this my dear." "Thomas a Kempis" is a lovely character what a medicine chest is to an old fashioned woman.

Tombs of the Patriarchs.

No spot in all Palestine is so jealously guarded as the haram or sacred area built above the cave where, according to tradition, he buried the bodies of Abraham and Sarah, Isaac and Rebecca, Jacob and Leah. This haram is inclosed within a double wall, an outer one of Arab workmanship, dating from the fourteenth century, and an inner very massive one with many buttresses, which competent authorities ascribe to the days of the Herods. No Christian or Jew is, except by very special permission, allowed within these walls. The most of the "unbelievers" may ordinarily do is to ascend from the street to the seventh step on one of the staircases between the walls. At a spot near the stile is a stone with a hole in it, down which, it is said, a long Bedouin lance can be thrust its whole length without reaching any obstruction. This, the Jews believe, reaches to the sacred cave itself, and in its neighborhood they assemble every Friday to mourn and pray, as they do before the wall of that other haram—the temple area—in Jerusalem.—Philadelphia Ledger.

Proving His Honesty.

"You say you have confidence in the plaintiff, Mr. Smith?"

"Yes, sir."

"State to the court, if you please, what caused this confidence."

"Why, you see, sir, there's allers reports 'bout eatin' house men, and I used to think—"

"Never mind what you thought. Tell us what you know."

"Well, sir, one day I goes down to Cooken's shop and sez to the waiter, 'Waiter, sez I, 'give a weal pie.' Well, just then Mr. Cooken comes up, and sez he: 'How do Mr. Smith? What ye going to have?'

"'Weal pie,' says I. 'Good,' says he: 'I'll have one tu.' So he sets down an' eats one of his own weal pies right before me."

"Did that cause your confidence in him?"

"Yes, indeed, sir; when an eatin' house keeper sets down afore his customers' deliberately eats one of his own weal pies no man can refuse to feel confidence. It shows him to be an honest man."—London Scraps.

A Philosopher In a Cyclone.

"I, believe in optimism," said the cheerful citizen, "but there is a limit even to that. I saw a man the other day whose house had been carried away by cyclone, and he was the most cheerful citizen in town. 'Why, I said, 'I thought you had lost your house?'

"'I did lose it,' he replied, 'but that was nobody in it but me at the time, an' that wuzn't a hair o' my head hurt. The cyclone lifted the house high, all but the ground floor where I was sleepin' peaceful in my bed, an' I hain't never seen nor hearn o' that house sense! An', anyhow, I didn't have any fire insurance on it an' wuzn't able to put up a lightnin' rod, an' of the wind hadn't took it away who knows but lightnin' would 'a' hit it, an' I've got the rheumatism so bad I couldn't run in case o' fire.'—Atlanta Constitution.

Dream Troubles.

"Once when I was blue," said a business man, "a friend told me I was worrying over imaginary troubles. He cheered me up with a yarn about his little nephew. This little fellow's sister said one morning:

"Oh, Gussie, I had such a lovely dream last night! I dreamed I was at a cake shop, and I had such loads of good things—ice cream, pie, strawberry shortcake, chocolates, jelly macaroons, kisses and lots of other things besides."

"The little boy's eyes glistened. He smiled with delight.

"And what was I eating?" he asked eagerly.

"Oh, you wasn't there, Gussie."

"Then, overwhelmed with sorrow, little Gussie hid his face in his hands and wept bitterly."

Hercules' Labors.

The twelve labors of Hercules were: To slay the Nemean lion; to kill the Lernean hydra; to catch and hold the Arcadian stag; to destroy the Erymanthian boar; to cleanse the stables of King Augeas; to destroy the cannibal birds of Lake Stymphalus; to capture the Cretan bull; to catch the horses of Diomedes; to get possession of the girdle of Hippolyte, queen of the Amazons; to capture the oxen of the monster Geryon; to get possession of the apples of the Hesperides and to bring up from the infernal regions the three headed dog Cerberus.

The Irresponsible Child.

Small Boy (noticing the Phi Beta Kappa key hanging from the minister's watch chain)—Did you find it again, or is this another?

Minster—Why, my little man, what do you mean? I never lost it.

Small Boy—Oh, mother said you had lost the charm you had when you were young.—Judge.

A Golden Wedding

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SCIENTIFIC MISCELLANY

Reported weekly for the Ledger.

Birds and Man.—True Hot-Weather Cloth.—An Improved Altay.—Radiographic Snap-Shots.—The Diamond on Fire—Mosquito Trapping.—The Kaiser's Hobby-Horse.—A Heat Battery.

A bird population of about 30,750,000 exists in Illinois in summer, according to the study begun by Prof. S. A. Forbes, this being an average of 645 birds to the square mile, while the average for the entire year appears to be 722 to the square mile. The summer estimate is based on a count over a strip of 12 square miles, showing 7740 birds belonging to 85 species. The principal species, in the order of abundance, were the English sparrow, meadow lark, bronzed grackle, mourning-dove, dickcissel, redwinged blackbird, prairie horned lark, flicker, robin and field sparrow, and these ten species included more than 70 per cent of the birds seen, the English sparrow alone representing 18 per cent. The persistence of the birds in the face of extraordinary changes in environment is one of the striking impressions of this study. Aside from the results of the introduction of the English sparrow, and the direct destruction of game birds and birds of prey, the main effect of human occupation seems to have been the withdrawal of the prairie birds from the Indian corn area to the pastures, meadows and fields of small grain.

A fabric called "solaro" has been produced by English manufacturers in response to the call for something more scientific than all-white clothing for tropical sunshine. It has a red backing interwoven with the outside cloth without showing through, and the face may be white, gray, or any desired color. The red inside arrests the actinic rays, preventing sunstroke, stomach disorders and other effects of intense summer heat. The material is of fine wool, shower-proof as well as sun-proof, is suitable for both sexes, and has been adopted for British officers appointed to tropical service.

Magnalium, the new alloy of a Berlin syndicate, claims advantages that make it a most important and interesting material. It contains from 9 to 98 per cent of aluminum, the remaining percentage being chiefly magnesium, and it retains the good qualities of aluminum, while having the much desired greater hardness and greater tensile strength, with greater resistance to oxidation than any other light metal or alloy. It is almost unaffected by damp air, water, gaseous ammonia, carbonic acid and most organic acids. It can be cast in the liquid condition, like pure aluminum, and the castings can be machined, acquiring a smooth, mirror-like surface. Unlike pure aluminum, it may be cut to perfect screw-threads and filed without clogging the file or tearing the material. The uses found are already quite numerous, and include kitchen utensils, parts of spinning and milling machinery, saddle skeletons, surgical appliances, and chemical apparatus.

Instantaneous photographs with X-rays have been known for several years, but it is only recently that Dr. Graedel, of Nauheim, has made them practicable as a part of the physician's every day work. In a late London demonstration, satisfactory pictures were taken in one-fifth to one-half of a second, with slight modification of the ordinary apparatus. The continuous current of 200 to 250 watts from the usual electric supply main gives the best results, and a large primary current—up to 90 amperes—is used through a special triple-anode electrolytic interrupter. At 80 inches the parts are shown in almost exactly natural size, with practically no distortion, the pictures being good.

The diamond was first burned by Davy and Faraday in 1811. It was held on a platinum rod in a glass globe of 22 cubic inches of pure hydrogen, and the Duke of Tuscany's burning glass—lens of 14 inches and one of 3 inches separated $3\frac{1}{2}$ feet—concentrated the sun's heat. In $\frac{1}{4}$ of an hour the stone burst into a scarlet flame. Out of focus it blazed 4 minutes, and was consumed in two more trials.

Mosquitoes being one of the pests of tropical countries, Maxwell Lefroy, of the Indian Entomological Department, has made a special study of their destruction, and has been particularly successful with the novel method of trapping them. He uses a box about a foot square, which has a hinged lid with a small aperture that can be closed by a slide. This box has a bottom of tin, and the sides are lined with green baize. Set in a dark corner of the room, the simple apparatus proves an attractive retreat

for the insects seeking to hide from the sunlight on entering the house in the morning. They soon collect inside, and when all have settled a teaspoonful of benzine is poured in, and the lid is closed. The prisoner's are quickly suffocated. Mr. Lefroy continued setting his trap as long as the mosquitoes were troublesome, and in 31 days destroyed over 3,100.

A strange steed is the new horse of the German cavalryman. It is an electrically driven exerciser, in the saddle of which the soldier may enjoy a comfortable long or short canter in the shelter of home, and the teetering motion is an exact imitation of that of a horse in action. Turning a screw varies the gait as may be desired. Any person may ride, and adjustment of a counter weight adapts the mechanism to a light or a heavy rider.

For an inexpensive thermo-electric couple for measuring temperatures of molten metals, W. H. Bristol, an English metallurgist, has hit upon the plan of using two varieties or grades of carbon or graphite. With most metals these do not alloy appreciably, and they resist "very high temperatures. A couple that was particularly satisfactory had pure carbon or graphite for one element and carbon or graphite combined with 15 to 20 per cent of Bavarian clay for the other.

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LOCAL EDITORIAL COLUMN.

STATE CONVENTION.

The republican state convention for the nomination of presidential electors will be held in Oakland on Thursday, August 27. Amador is entitled to four delegates, and it is probable they will be apportioned and elected in the same manner as the last convention, when townships one, two and four were allowed one delegate each, and townships three and five one delegate jointly, each district holding a caucus or primary for the selection of the delegate. No action has yet been taken by the county central committee in the matter. No doubt a move will be made in ample time to give the voters due notice of proceedings. The delegates elected to the state convention will also be the delegates to the congressional district convention to nominate a congressman from this district. This county is practically unanimous for the renomination of our present able representative, W. F. Englebright. The delegates should also be empowered to act in the assembly district convention for the nomination of an assemblyman for this district.

PARTY RULES WANTED.

For the nomination of local officers—supervisors, etc., it will perhaps be advisable to call a county convention in the early part of September. When the presidential ticket is in the field, and the campaign is fairly inaugurated, it is desirable to have the local organization fully prepared as soon thereafter as possible to take part in the responsibilities and activities of the canvass. The most important in this direction is the reorganization of the county central committee, filling up the gaps which have been made in its ranks during the past two years by removals, and the adoption of clear-cut rules for the government of the committee in the future. The powers of the managing committee should never be left to the mere caprice of the members of the committee themselves. Fixed and definite rules should be laid down for the guidance of every governing body. Political organizations should be no exception to the rule. This is as essential for the committeemen as for the ranks and file of the party. The necessity of some action in this direction has been strikingly demonstrated, both in state and county politics, in the history of the past two years. It is the path of prudence to remove as far as possible all grounds of complaint in the republican lines by closing the door for the exercise of arbitrary authority by the adoption of a few simple rules. Party strength, especially in local matters, depends in a great measure upon the confidence of the members in those in charge of the party machinery. If their powers are safeguarded by limitations laid down in a written and duly adopted code of laws, there will be little room for dissension on the excess of authority. The Ledger has no sympathy with mere factional squabbles within the ranks, which are dictated by selfish motives—to substitute one set of managers for another. Such, as it appears to us, is the agitation of the Lincoln-Roosevelt wing of the republican party at the present time, which threatens to seriously handicap the party in this campaign. Under the false cry of Herrinism, or the wresting of the party from railroad domination, a few disappointed ones seek to capture control of the organization. We can see no merit in such a contest for place and power, particularly in the absence of any proof of attempted dictation at this time. The state committee has so far exerted its powers judiciously, in the interest of harmony and party success. At the same time, we believe in doing everything within reason to stave off these bickerings in the future. One vital step to this end is the adoption and promulgation of a code of laws for the government of state and county central committees. It makes a whole lot of difference whether the party governs the committees of its own creation, or these committee assume to govern the party.

The tainted money notion has developed in political parties. Both democratic and republican organizations have decided not to accept contributions for campaign purposes from corporations. This is running a fad into the ground—outdoing the precedent established by a clergyman in refusing a contribution from Rockfeller. And how very easy it is to evade such claptrap, goody-goody resolves by tendering contributions through third parties. Money from a corporation is just as good as money from any other source, for political as well as other purposes.

The United States appellate court has set aside the judgment of twenty-nine million dollars against the Standard Oil Company, and ordered a new trial.

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SUPERIOR COURT
PROCEEDINGS

HON. R. C. RUST, JUDGE

Application for Citizenship—Luigi Nilo and A. Gazzero—continued until July 25.

Central Trust Co. vs. Wm. A. Nevills.—Demurrer sustained on certain grounds and submitted on others. Thirty days to amend.

Union Trust Co. vs. I. & E. R. R. Co. et al.—Decree of foreclosure. U. S. Gregory appointed commissioner to sell the property, giving a surety bond of \$1000. He is ordered to sell the real and personal property, excepting a contract between the I. & E. and the American River Electric Co. Out of the proceeds the receiver is ordered to pay the plaintiff \$67.41 costs, \$1000 as trustees, \$1000 attorney's fees, \$61,150 accrued interest on the bonds and \$360,000 as the principal. The property consists of the right of way from Ione to Martell station, the "gravel pit," a lot at Ione adjoining the high school, a lease from the Oneida Mining Co., about 13 miles of standard gauge track, rolling stock, buildings and an electric pole line from Ione to Martell station. John Raggio was appointed receiver in September of last year.

Estate of Eliza McDonald.—Order settling account and decree of distribution.

Estate and guardianship of Alie M. Barney et al.—Order settling final account.

An Eccentric Genius.

Among the geniuses none perhaps was stranger than the poet Baudelaire, who dyed his hair green, tried to strangle his father-in-law, used opium, tobacco and wine to excess and enjoyed perverted olfactory sensations. "My soul soars upon perfumes as the souls of other men soar upon music," he wrote. But what pleased him, strangely, were odors of putrefaction, vile smells which other men abhorred and the stenches of disease which made others sick. And yet his poetry is among the most passionately musical of the literature of France. He was exceedingly superstitious, believing he would not succeed in an undertaking unless he left a house first with the left foot, and would count the number of gas jets along the streets, the numbers of cabs and numbers of doors. Adding these figures in his mind, he would consider the result an omen—multiples of three good, multiples of seven reassuring, while his bad number was seventeen. Curiously, once he was thrown out of a cab, the figures of which he added and found amounted to seventeen.

A Sharp Swindler.

A fashionable young lady once drove in a handsome carriage to a private lunatic asylum situated a few miles from Paris and requested to see the proprietor. Her wish being acceded to, she informed the doctor that she desired to place her husband under his care to see if a cruel mania under which he labored—viz., "that he had lost a large quantity of jewels"—could not be removed. After some hesitation the doctor consented, and the lady drove away directly to a jeweler's in Paris and selected jewels to the value of several thousand francs and requested one of the shopmen to go with her in her carriage to procure the money for the goods she had taken. She drove with him to the asylum, and, arriving there, he was shown into a room. The lady then sought the doctor, told him of the arrival of her husband and, getting into her carriage, again drove away. The rest may be imagined, but the poor fellow was confined several days before it was found they both had been "sold." The lady was never heard of after.

Wagner's Portrait.

When Wagner was in England supervising the first production of his operas, the music enthusiasts commissioned the artist Herkomer to paint the musician's portrait, but Wagner was dashing about in such a state of frenzy that he repelled impatiently every attempt to get him to give a "sitting." Still, Herkomer stuck to him like a limpet, fed with him, walked and talked with him, watched him conduct his orchestra, write music and read books. At last, when every attempt to secure a "sitting" had failed, Herkomer rose early one morning, painted with frenzied speed all day, spent a short night in restless sleep, rose early again and painted furiously, till on the second evening he sat down exhausted—but with his picture finished. Wagner was called in and threw up his hands in amazement. "Ah!" he cried. "Wonderful! That is exactly how I would like to look if I could."

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Claimant names as witnesses: T. J. Chichizola, of Amador City, Calif., G. C. Bruce, of West Point, Calif., J. P. Moffett and Gus. Peterson, of Portland, Oregon.

JOHN F. ARMSTRONG, je 12-td Register.

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Notice is hereby given that Julius Chichizola of Amador City, Calif., who, on June 3, 1908, made timber and stone sworn statement, No. 2208, for the SW 1/4 of SE 1/4; S 1/2 of SW 1/4 section 3, and NW 1/4 of NW 1/4 Section 10, Township 7 N., Range 14 E., Mount Diablo meridian, has filed notice of intention to make final proof, to establish claim to the land above described, before the Register and Receiver at U. S. Land Office in Sacramento, Calif., on the 24th day of August, 1908.

Claimant names as witnesses: Gust Lindquist, of San Francisco, Calif., G. C. Bruce of West Point, Calif., Charles Erickson and J. P. Moffett, of Portland, Oregon.

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